

REMARKS

This Preliminary Amendment is being submitted as part of the above-identified continuation application. With the entry of the foregoing amendments, the continuation application is believed to be in condition for allowance. Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner so find and issue a Notice of Allowance in due course. The Examiner is asked to call Applicant's attorneys, James A. Coles, at 317-684-5282, or Christine Orich, at 317-684-5414, to address any outstanding issues in order to expedite the prosecution of this application for all parties.

Respectfully submitted,

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